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A TERRIBLE CONFESSION.

A Physician Presents Some Startling Facts—Can It Be that the Danger Indicated is Universal

The following story—which is attracting wide attention from the press—is so remarkable that we cannot excuse ourselves if we do not lay it before our readers entire

To the Editor of the Rochester (N. Y.) Democrat—Sir—On the first day of June last I lay at my residence in the city named by my friends and waiting for death. Heaven only knows the agony I then endured for words can never describe it. And yet, it a few years previous any one had told me that I was to be brought so low, and by so terrible a disease I should have scoffed at the idea. I had always been phenomenally strong and healthy, and weighed over 200 pounds and hardly knew in my own experience, what pain or sickness were. Very many people who will read this statement realize at times that they are unusually tired and cannot account for it. They feel dull pains in various parts of the body and do not locate them, and when they are exceeding hungry one day and entirely without appetite the next. This was just the way I felt when the relentless malady which had fastened itself upon me began. Still I thought nothing of it, that probably I had taken a cold which would soon pass away. Shortly after this I noticed a heavy, and at times intensely acute pain in one side of my head, but as it would come and then be gone the next, I paid little attention to it. Then my stomach would get out of order and my food often failed to digest, causing at times great inconvenience. Yet even as a physician I did not think that these things meant anything serious. I can detect I was suffering from malaria, and doctored myself accordingly. But I got no better. I took not one, a specific or one dose about the limit I was passing—I so that there were large quantities one day and very little the next, and I also persistent froth and scum appeared upon the surface and a sediment settled. And yet I did not realize my danger for indeed seeing these symptoms on in reality I became accustomed to them and my insensation was wholly disarmed by the fact that *I had no pain in the affected organs or in their vicinity.* Why I should have been so blind I cannot understand.

I consulted the best medical skill in the land. I visited all the famed mineral springs in America and traveled from Maine to California. Still I grew worse. No two physicians agreed as to my main trouble. I was troubled with spinal irritation, another dyspepsia, another heart disease, another general debility, another congestion of the base of the brain, and so on through a long list of common diseases, the symptoms of many of which I really had. In the meantime I was passing blood, during which time I was steadily growing worse. My condition had really become pitiable. The slight symptoms I at first experienced were developed into terrible and constant disorders. My weight had been reduced from 200 to 145 pounds. My life was a burden to myself and friends. I could retain no food on my stomach, and lived wholly by injections. I was a living mass of pain. My pulse was reduced to 50 beats a minute. In my agony I got out of bed in the night and clutched the carpet and prayed for death! Morphine had little or no effect in deadening the pain. For six days and nights I had the death rattle in my throat. My blood was thin as water. My weight was filled with tube-casts and albumen. I was struggling with Bright's Disease of the kidneys in its last stages!

While suffering thus I received a call from my pastor, Dr. Foote, that the rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, of this city. I felt that it was our last interview, but in the course of conversation Dr. Foote detailed to me the many remarkable cures of cases like my own, which had been effected by this means. As a practicing physician and a graduate of the schools I declined the idea of any medicine aside the regular channels being of the least benefit, but, to gratify him, I however was induced to make a trial. I finally promised I would waive test prejudice, began its use on the first day of June, 1881, and took it according to directions. At first it sickened me, as I had nothing else to keep down, but in my debilitated condition I continued to take it. The sickening sensation departed and I was finally able to retain food upon my stomach. In a few days I noticed a slight change for the better. Also that my wife and friends, by his weights ceased and I experienced less pain than formerly. I was so encouraged at this improved condition that upon what I call believe was the recommendation of a druggist I vowed in the presence of my family and friends should I recover I would both publicly and privately make known this remedy for the good of humanity wherever and whenever I had an opportunity, and this is the first fulfillment of that vow. My improvement was so constant from that time and in less than three months I had gained 25 pounds in flesh, became entirely free from pain and to-day I weigh 175 lbs., my present condition being due entirely to Warner's Safe Cure, the remedy which I used.

Since my recovery I have thoroughly investigated the subject of kidney disease and Bright's disease, and to this development I attribute my success in the treatment of many cases pronounced incurable by other physicians. I honestly believe *nine-tenths of the deaths reported as occurring in America are caused by kidney disease or its kindred symptoms.* This may sound like a rash statement from a person not versed in medical terms, but Bright's disease has so distinctive features of its own that it often develops without any pain whatever in the kidneys or their vicinity, but has its symptoms of pearly every part of the system. Hundreds of people die daily who, if their case had been properly diagnosed, and Warner's Safe Cure administered by a physician's certificate as to its value, from Heart Disease, "Apoplexy," Paralysis, Spinal Complaint, Rheumatism, Pneumonia and the various other non-organic troubles, owing to its being Bright's disease of the kidneys, for physicians still fewer people realize the extent of this disease or its dangerous and insidious nature. It steals into the system, fastens itself upon the vitals, undermines its victim, sends forth its subtle poisons, and then, when it is almost too late, it shows itself in the constitution before the victim is aware of it. It is nearly as hereditary as consumption, quite as common and fatal. Entire families, inherit it from their sire or dam, and yet none of the number knew or realized the mysterious power which was removing them. Instead of common symptoms often shown, some wholly different, the victim finally died from convulsions, apoplexy or heart disease.

As one who has suffered, and knows by bitter experience what his says I implore every one who reads this to, in the words not to take the slightest symptoms of kidney difficulty. No one can afford to hazard such chances.

I make the foregoing statements based upon facts which I can substantiate to the letter. The welfare of those who may possibly be sufferers such as I was is all the inducement for me to take the step I have, and if I can succeed fully warn others from the dangerous path in which I once walked, I am willing to endure all the professional and personal ridicule that may follow.

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## RIOT AT SEATTLE.

### The Chinese Driven to the Steamship Dock.

### GOV SQUIRE APPEALS FOR AID.

One Hundred Canadians Placed Aboard the Queen of the Pacific—Militia now Patrolling the Streets—Trouble Feared To-Day

SEATTLE Feb 7—At last the long-drawn out anti-Chinese agitation has reached the climaxing point so far as Seattle is concerned. It was thought many when the United States troops were withdrawn from here that the agitation was dead and as the people went by without the commission of any overt act this opinion was strengthened As events show however he feeling was not ever dormant and the agitators have been quietly laying plans all the while. An effort was made to put these plans into execution to day though with what success cannot yet be said

An anti-Chinese meeting was held last night, at which committees were appointed for the obnoxious purpose of visiting Chinatown and ascertaining whether the city sanitary regulations were properly observed by the Chinamen The committee soon ascertained its work a fact at this morning Headed by Acting Chief of Police Murphy and accompanied by an enormous crowd which had apparently come together by previous understanding it proceeded to Chinatown The route of procedure was simple The committee would approach a China house and kick it at he door When the occupants appeared they were asked questions concerning the observance of the sanitary and other city ordinances While the conversation was in progress the crowd would enter the house and break packing the contents upon a wagon which would appear at that juncture It was useless for the Chinamen to resist and they generally submitted with as good a grace as possible When their movable goods were loaded in the wagon they were also placed on board and driven to the ocean dock where the Queen of the Pacific was lying ready to sail for San Francisco

As the slightest variation of this movement had been given and the authorities were fully appraised of it. The police force gentrally sided with the crowd and made no effort to stop the work of removal Sheriff McGraw was soon on the scene and commanded the mob to disperse but the latter paid no attention to him When he would call a few citizens would attempt to interfere but the crowd cease operations at this point to carry it on without opposition at other quarters.

This continued for several hours, Sheriff McGraw Judge Green and Mayor Yesler making such efforts as they could to put a half of law but without success

GOVERNOR'S PROCLAMATION

About 6 o'clock Governor Squire, who is in the city issued the following proclamation

To the people of Washington territory:

Whereas It has been represented to me by the mayor of the city of seattle as follows

Hon Watson C Squire—Sir—The Chinese residents of the city of seattle are being unlawfully removed from the city by a mob in awfully gathered together at the present time and I am informed by the chief of police that he cannot control the mob and probably will be sufficient I have issued proclamation

WATSON C SQUIRE Governor

Troops at Fort Lewis and and Vancouver are ready to move and are only awaiting orders from Washington

Much surprise is expressed that the movement was at all necessary. The city is full of strangers and it is hard to tell who are and who are not participants but the fact remains that the mob was composed of men from all parts of the country from all places, as well as reporters of both Eastern papers arrived here yesterday Mayor Yesler of Tacoma also here and it is freely asserted that he is engineering the movement

GOV SQUIRE ATTACKS TOP THOMAS

VANCOUVER BARRACKS Feb 7—This morning Gen Clifton dispatched a messenger receipt application from Gov Squire for troops to quell the riot at Seattle He replied that he had no authority to use troops except by express order of the president Nothing has been received from Washington

RIOTOUS FEARED TO-DAY THIS MORNING

SEATTLE Feb 8—At 10 o'clock Capt Abraham of the Queen of the Pacific appeared in court and in answer to the subpoena to produce the Chinamen made affidavit that he was forbidden restraining from doing so by Judge Green's order issued last night to the sheriff to have the Chinamen in court at 9 A M This will necessitate the removal of the Chinamen who are on the steamer and will bring matters to a crisis Very little interest is manifested in the matter this morning and it is believed that from the present aspect of affairs the unavailable unless the anti-Chinese element yields There is little prospect of their doing this

At present the city is patrolled by militia and home guards Sentries are stationed at every corner Forty more are to be added to-night Present any attempt that may be made to drive Chinamen out of the city is made the apprehension of this is not

Besides 100 Chinamen on the ocean of the Pacific about three steamers are in the waters near the Ocean docks guarded by the anti-Chinese committee They have been fed and further no part are permitted to land here. They are now in safe quarters and will be made to put these in Portland again which leaves here at 4 M but they are probably nothing but rumors

Everything is reasonably quiet to night and it is not likely that a conflict will occur as the place before morning. The critical moment will be 9 o'clock when the sheriff attempts to remove the Chinamen from the steamer in the courthouse. A few citizens were pelted early in the day but this has not been kept up. The authorities are a few well-armed and though anxious to avoid bloodshed are determined to vindicate the law and at any what the cost may be

THE AGITATORS BARRED

1 P M—The Portland train has just been sent out two hours ahead of time This bars the agitators, who wished to put the Chinamen on board.

## THE CANADIAN PACIFIC

### Opinion of a Man who was Interested in its Construction.

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 6—A gentleman who for the past two years has been actively interested in the construction of the Canadian Pacific railroad in which he owns a large interest has this to say "I talk about the Canadian Pacific being the position to hold the whip hand over other trans continental lines is ridiculous At the present time, and adds that it always will be, especially to place the transcontinental condition to turn on schedule time

After relating some of the difficulties still to be overcome in construction he says There are hundreds and hundreds of miles of the Canadian Pacific that will never earn one single dollar in legal traffic After you leave Winnipeg there is for miles at three hundred miles, some good open prairie agriculture and then so still like a country of alkali not fit for the habitation of a jack rabbit and no country is found there in which a white man could live. Then comes the west end of Lake Superior, the worst piece of road in the world, where the snow is often 20 degrees below zero in the winter temperature and thirty feet deep in the summer. The winter season doesn't begin to average with the average. The winter season doesn't begin to average with the average. The winter season doesn't begin to average with the average. The winter season doesn't begin to average with the average.

It is the intention of the approaching committee to call up the pension appropriation bill on Tuesday This bill usually provokes little discussion, but recent agitation as to new pension legislation may on this occasion, affair general discussion of opinion on the measure Should it receive final action on Tuesday and should the tax bill be disposed of Wednesday will be devoted to consideration of the Atlantic & Pacific and forfeited bill

According to special order made on Friday last the Pacific railroad bill will be taken up Thursday but it is understood that a vote will not be reached this week

### IN THE SENATE

Senator Blair introduced a bill to amend the act in the Senate to grant homestead rights to settlers on the public lands. Referred to the committee on public lands.

Senator Blair introduced a bill to amend the act to provide for the better organization of the militia and for the national defense and for other purposes. Referred to the committee on education and labor.

Senator Blair introduced a bill to provide for the payment of bounties to certain officers and soldiers of the late war. Referred to the committee on pensions

# The Oregonian,

PORTLAND, MONDAY FEB 8, 1886.


## THE TWO SIDES OF IT

E. W. S. [illegible] THE OREGONIAN has been making every possible effort to awaken the wealth of Oregon, and especially of Portland, to a sense of its opportunities, duties and obligations. It has pointed out the fact that almost every avenue of industrial activity in a great and growing country was open to those who would occupy it; that it was a high duty of those who had amassed fortunes in the country to employ their capital and energies in these directions, that there was too much thought merely of rents and cent per cent. that as a consequence labor could find little or no employment, and that no promise or prospect of better things could appear till a public spirit were developed which would lay hold of the natural resources of the country and give working people something to do. It has pressed these things at all times, and by as earnest and emphatic words as I could frame into speech. Nor has THE OREGONIAN been talking without doing for in itself and in the industries of which it is the center, it has been worked up by ceaseless endeavor till it has become a mine of wages. It is, in fact, the source of more wages than anything else in the Northwest, the great transportation companies alone excepted. In urging capitalists to put their money into enterprises to develop the resources of the country and employ labor, THE OREGONIAN therefore has not been giving precept without practice. The same pains and perseverance would have opened a hundred other avenues of industry that no one has yet been willing to [illegible] Secret [illegible]

The inactivity and lethargy which have settled upon the Northwest this paper certainly has talked about with sufficient plainness. It has done its best, year after year, to impress the wealth of Portland with a sense of its opportunities and obligations. If it has not had much success, the fault is not its own. It has done what it could. It has seen labor clamorous for employment, and yet unable to find anything to do. It has pointed out the inevitable consequences of the lack of enterprise so apparent here, and has tried by every method of address it could employ to awaken a public spirit that seemed dormant or dead. The chief result has been only the displeasure of the unenterprising rich, which it did not fear, though along with this displeasure were the snivelling complaints of scrub journalism, that THE OREGONIAN was "burning up" the merchants, bankers and real estate owners of Portland.

One extreme is sluggish, unenterprising wealth which, though accumulated here, is insensible to its duties and opportunities; the other is the irresponsible leadership of the movement which is directed against the Chinese. There are here now, and have long been here, many men willing to work, yet unable to get work. Men who might set on foot the means of giving employment to needy labor have been studying how to lend money at high rates of interest, or to put it into buildings for which high rents might be exacted, making for such buildings contracts in advance that would yield from 15 to 20 per cent per annum, for long periods. Since there has been little public spirit in Portland or throughout the country, since so little has been set on foot looking to the development of productive industry, working people have been given no chance. Chinese have been largely employed in the rude and primitive occupations that have offered and the working class of whites, particularly in hard times, have scarcely known which way to turn. In these circumstances the unscrupulous adventurer and demagogue always finds his opportunity. He turns "agitator," sometimes with great effect. In the present case the Chinese are the object of direct attack, though in fact the presence of the Chinese is only an incident of a general situation, of which the main features and chief component parts are presented in the utter neglect of industrial enterprise by the capital of the country.

Though there are many vagabonds and worthless fellows among us who would not work if they could, there are many worthy people in real need who desire employment yet are unable to get it. It is useless to overlook this fact, or to try to disguise it. Yet workingmen should always bear in mind that peace and order are the first indispensable conditions of employment of capital in industry and business. Moreover, force and violence, in defiance of law, will surely be met by the iron hand of power. To attempt to expel the Chinese of Portland by force would be mere madness. Such a number can only go by gradual departure. Any effort to hasten them, by violent action, will only bring to Portland the military forces of the United States, to keep the peace and give the Chinese protection. As THE OREGONIAN has so often said, the Chinese, when they can no longer find work, will rapidly take their leave. Large numbers of them are idle now, and these numbers will increase as fast as white persons are found to take their places. This substitution has been going on rapidly during a year past. It is the legitimate solution of what is called the Chinese question. There is no remedy worthy of a civilized people in outrage, violence or inhumanity. The Chinese came here in pursuance of treaty, and while here they are entitled to all the protection of the laws.

## OUTRAGE AT SEATTLE

Yesterday a proceeding at Seattle against the Chinese cannot be called a proud achievement. It was, indeed a gross and extreme outrage. Our telegraphic report gives an account of the proceeding, with a statement of the situation up to a late hour.

The outrage seems to have been secretly concerted and carried on mainly by persons from other localities. Seattle's committee of safety, which was organized some time ago, appears to have dissolved. At least it was not on duty. Taking advantage of the quiet of Sunday morning, the mob forced the Chinese of the town, to the number of several hundred, down to the dock, but only go about one hundred of them on board the steamer. The remainder, at a late hour, were still huddled up on the dock, afraid to return to their quarters, though the mob had mainly dispersed. The steamer was enjoined from sailing with those who had been put on board.

It is impossible to characterize such a lawless and outrageous proceeding in terms too severe, and is a reproach to any community that such an act should be perpetrated in it. The usual call has been made for troops, and no doubt some companies will be sent over at once. Under military protection, the Chinese will probably return to their houses, but fear of further outrage, will be likely to cause them to take their departure as soon as they can.

## A POLITICAL MISTAKE

Mr. Blaine is quoted as having said recently that the republicans of the senate were committing a great political mistake in raising a controversy with the president about appointments to office. It was apparent, he is said to have remarked that such action on the part of the republican senate would unite and consolidate the democratic party of the country in support of the administration. Mr Blaine is a keen political man, and can judge well as to motives and measures which have a bearing on party action. But in fact it requires no great sagacity to know that the statement attributed to him is a sound one.

The country sees the situation and understands it. If the republicans of the senate have been merely seeking an advantage for political party ends, they have obtained already all the advantage they are likely to get, for they have placed the administration on record as refusing to give the reasons for removals which the president said should not be made for partisan objects, or for any other except the good of the public service. It is well understood, and nobody doubts, that a great many removals have been made solely for the purpose of putting democrats into office; and beyond doubt many more will yet be made for the same reason. All this the country understands well enough. If is useless to be "badgering the president for "reasons," when the reasons are already apparent. The right thing now for the senate to do is to confirm the nominations, after proper inquiry into the character and fitness of each.

Suppose the position of parties were reversed. Suppose the republicans, after having been excluded from office during twenty five years, had at last elected the president, and that the senate were still democratic. Would there not be a great deal of bitterness in the republican heart if the senate should obstruct the way to appointment of republicans to at least a fair share of the offices? President Cleveland has not, indeed, lived up to the close order of his promises in behalf of civil service reform, but he has disappointed both parties by having done as much as he has done in that behalf.

## OUR COAST DEFENSES

An idea has for sometime been prevalent that our coast defenses are in such a state of chronic dilapidation that they not only constitute no defense worth speaking of but are in their very feebleness a menace. True, we still have what is called by courtesy "forts," and these brigade, more or less, with harmless ordnance that gives them a mildly war-like appearance, but in the first estimation of our best military men these guns would play a very feeble game if compelled, by necessity, to oppose the passage of a British man-of-war or answer one of its terrific broad-sides at long range. Having indulged in this somewhat melancholy view of the exposed condition of our harbors in case of sudden trouble with a nation that owns and operates a navy, the country was somewhat since comforted by the assertion of Gen. Forney, chairman of the house sub committee on fortifications, to the effect that our danger, from lack of coast defense, is greatly exaggerated. He is reported as having said that "shot [illegible] does not amount to anything," citing, in proof of this reassuring assertion, that after the city of Vera Cruz had been shelled for three days and finally capitulated, the United States troops found upon entering that their shells had done no damage. This testimony relative to the perfect harmlessness of shells is not corroborated by the record of the havoc played by British shells at Alexandria a few years ago, nor by sundry well authenticated accounts of the part played by these missiles during our civil war. However, members of congressional committees from the vast interior—Gen Forney is from central Georgia—are supposed to know what they are talking about, and to conform them with history is impertinent. They stand before the country rich in the experience gained from active duty in the confederate armies, or possessed of the importance of the way things were done when they, in their early youth, accompanied the United States forces into Mexico. Yet, somehow, the assurance that our coast defenses are ample, that hostile fleets can not get up our rivers and into our harbors, does not carry a weight equal to that of the contrary judgment of our best military men. An article in *Harper's Magazine* for February, detailing the strength of the British navy, and furnishing illustrations of some of the mighty monsters that compose it, suggests some of the possibilities that would menace our seaboard, not to speak of our commerce in case of a sudden war with a maritime power so mighty. Undue security is scarcely less reprehensible than needless alarm. Gen. Forney concedes that we want guns, and that to be effective they must be properly mounted, but it is not necessary to belong to that valorous fighting brigade, the congressional military committee to understand that the most formidable gun, if exposed to the fire of a modern war vessel would, in a brief space, become of as little value, as a means of defense, as a common saw log. The batteries in the mouth of the Columbia are said to be typical in a small way, of the defenses of many of our important ports, and it would have been an act of unwarrantable boldness for them at any time in the past ten years to have disputed the passage of a fishing smack, armed with a howitzer.

## THE "FARMER'S PROTECTIVE"

A branch of an association known as the "Farmer's Protective" has been organized in Eastern Washington, and a local paper of that region urges all farmers to join it. Whether it is a revival of the spark left in the ashes of many defunct granges, or whether it starts out on a new plan of work as well as under a new name, we are not advised. We note the sound of familiar words, however, in the declaration that in "unity there is strength," that "great good can be accomplished by organizations through legislation," and much more in the same strain. The whole recalls the time, some four or five years ago, when the Granger element was "proudly" said to be the controlling power in our state politics, and when farmers and their wives and sons and daughters and man servants and maid servants, conspicuous in the simple uniform of the order, made a chief feature on public parade days. When the term "middle man" was a reproach and "rangers' feasts and grangers' resolutions and Grangers generally occupied a prominent place in public affairs. The Grange doubtless had its mission. If, however, that mission was to protect the interests of the agricultural class from the machinations, real or supposed, of the "middle man," promote prosperity among the farmers of Oregon we speak of the grange merely as it existed in this state), and transfer the products of agriculture directly from the hand of the producer to that of the consumer, it does not seem to have been successful. As a social organization, bringing the families of the same community and of different communities into pleasant communication as friends and neighbors, interesting each in the work of the other, furnishing toiling women opportunities for relaxation and recreation, and giving a welcome attended the meetings an insight into business forms, and a lesson in courtesy and politeness, the Grange may be said to have recorded its greatest success. These features of the organization live still in many communities to the pleasure and social profit of its members. It cannot be denied that in its contest with wheat rings, transportation ring and middlemen's profits, the Grange had not a record to laugh. Like all other organizations designed for the benefit of a class, it had its false prophets, and ranters with its gates were not wanting.

The motto "Trust no one" is excellent, in so far as it calls the vigilance that should attend every dual effort in any vocation a life to mistake. The lesson that Oregon farmers especially should learn is that in individual attention to their own affairs, in having something to sell every day in the year and seeing that the article is put on the market fresh and in good shape lies the true source of prosperity. No organization can supply the lack of self helpful endeavor, and in this simple "Farmer's Protective" lies all that there is of success.

The glovemakers' strike in Gloversville and Johnstown, N Y., is causing great distress, as the entire population of the region, numbering about 15,000 persons, is dependent upon the glove industry carried on there for a livelihood. The Knights of Labor have a strong organization there, and under the auspices of the order a certain rule of prices was drawn up in advance for 1886 and presented to manufacturers. The latter refused to recognize the right of the Knights of Labor to dictate to them as to the rates that their employes should receive, and a strike, involving the interests of the entire community, resulted. The case seems to be one of many, wherein labor is injured by the ill-timed zeal and unnecessary dictation of its friends.

The prohibition battle is being waged in the interior between the radicals, who want a party of their own in which to train and make speeches and vote, and the conservatives, who ask, "Why not be content with men nominated by either of the old parties, who are known to favor prohibition?" Local papers in different local ties give a large amount of their space to the various forms in which the question is put and to the combined wrath and enthusiasm of the replies. As yet nothing new to logic or literature has been developed in the controversy.

In the account given yesterday of the annual meeting of the Portland Library association the books that should have been classified under the head of "Travels" were preceded under the title of "Novels." This correction is necessary, in order that it may appear that the library is not running so much to fiction as the printed report would indicate.

When the commercial interests of a city are menaced by ice for some months of every year, vigorous and successful measures are taken to keep river channels open. Philadelphia maintains a winter navy of three ice boats and a gang of men, to keep the channel of the Delaware open to navigation.

### PRESIDENT AND SENATE

**A Statement of the Attitude of the Republicans Regarding Suspension**

Washington Special Feb 1, to Chicago Inter Ocean.

The republican senators are no making war upon the president. They are defending the citizen. The president has in both official and unofficial matter announced that no officer of the government holds for a definite period shall be removed during his term except for cause. His partisans all over the country as well as those opposed to him, have been induced to believe that he would observe this declaration in this respect. Hence every office suspended by the government concludes that charges have been made against him. In a large proportion of cases this has been done. It is natural that each suspended officer should desire to know the nature of the charges lodged against him. It is but just that he should be informed in this respect and given an opportunity to answer them and especially is this so when the charges affect his personal or official integrity. Therefore the requests to be informed. He writes to the president or to the head of the proper department for information. He gets none. He writes to his representative or to the senators from his state. They ask for the charges and get none. The senate calls for the papers and the department refuses to furnish them. The senate may determine to insist and the president may refuse to comply. If this should be done by the senate it will be for the benefit of the citizen who has been unjustly charged with charges placed on the files of the department and which may in the future come to light to his hurt. He may have been denied an opportunity to refute them. Freshandest justice, revolting as this old fashioned Anglo-Saxon fair play stamps its condemnation on this disreputable partisan assault on private character, and so the contest so far as the senate may be concerned, is for justice and fair play for the citizen to be high or [illegible] low.

### PERSONS AND THINGS.

President Cleveland is said to receive fifty daily newspapers.

Each congressman gets this year 600 packages of vegetable seeds besides 300 packages of flower seeds. Send in your orders.

In Lyon county, Nevada, they claim to have found fish covered with hair instead of scales. There is something suggestive in the name of that county.

Professor Asa Gray of Harvard has sent an autograph letter of thanks to each of the 120 botanists who contributed to the mummia vase presented to him on his seventy-fifth birthday.

Thomas Nast urges that bottles containing citrate of silver be stowed away in life boats. Seven ounces of the citrate will turn enough sea water into drinking, and so save many a life.

The Australian papers point with pride to the fact that the population in that country doubles itself every two and a half years, while that of the United States doubles itself only every twenty six years.

The ladder which Cleopatra is climbing stands nearly perpendicular. It will take nice balancing to reach the top round and stay there. If she does it will be the culmination of his grand career.

The New York *World* sneaks as one saying a thorny path leads to fame, just as Lord Salisbury was reaching for the jam on the top shelf the cupboard turned over. That thing has happened before to-day.

The largest dog in the country is said to be a St Bernard owned at Glen Cove L. He is seven feet seven eleven inches from the end of his nose to the tip of his tail, stands twenty five inches high and weighs 175 pounds.

Archdeacon Farrar is telling English and indeed all that during his long journey through the United States he saw less drunkenness than in a single walk in London. He thinks American is far ahead of England in temperance matters.

Joaquin Miller can hardly be blamed for risking to make a few remarks in true Saunders style when he finds himself responding to his daughter's appeal to find out discovered that he was the expert to believe the necessities of a newly made on lamentation husband.

Geneva, thinking of getting up an international exhibition in 1887 one of the chief features of which is to be a display of electric lighting, has had a harmonious talk with the municipal authorities. A committee has been appointed consisting in Italy of Count Sporting, who could shed it's brilliance.

In the interest of investors in London telegrams which were knocked down till they stood in the streets as if the thoroughfares were covered with snow. The postal telegraph service escaped with next to no damage. From the single fact that full 40 per cent of its wires are laid underground.

The United States supreme court has a bible which has been in constant use since 1800. It was printed at Oxford in 1790. By the fly leaves written by Chief Justices Supreme Court 1809 and every Justice of the court and every attorney who has been admitted to practice before the bar, it is now that date has been sworn upon that bible.

### PRESS PITH

An artist's chance for drawing a prize in a raffle is no better than anybody else's.—*Boston Bulletin*.

It is easier for a camel to pose as a creature of grace and beauty than it is for a man to remember a date in his letters. 1886.—*Fall River Advance*.

Although Queen Kapiolani has lovely complexion Miss Pink has! I declare she is as pretty as picture.

Yaas Mr Black once might almost think she had been painted by one of the old masters.—*Chicago Rambler*.

It is not the correct thing in society now for a young man to say to his affianced: "Darling, lay your head on my breast." He should say: "Put your wig off my wish bone."—*Cuba corinth Maverick*.

Thieves broke into the house of Postmaster General Vilas at Washington the other night and carried away articles worth $200. This talk about office seekers all having left Washington is obviously a fiction.—*Philadelphia Press*.

George Washington offered himself to five women before he was accepted. Well, no wonder. I am glad one man has met a like and the women of course thought it reason enough to right in the upper story.—*Kalamazoo State Journal*.

Mildred said the bright school girls in other land one in cookery book. They are creating a kind of preserve up the Lacumbes river that I never heard of before and I want to see it for a. What kind of preserve is it, mamma? They call it Lent, my dear, and I don't like to know how it made because ice is cheaper now than in Christmas time.—*Pittsburg Chronicle Telegraph*.

**Don't Know Beans**

Washington Star.

Judge Poker while secretary of the navy decided that beans were garden seeds and not subject to duty of 40 per cent. Solicitor McGuire only decided the matter to be a vegetable and assessed duty at 10 per cent and now a New York judge decides that it is correct to consider Indian peas and therefore may be imported free. Our great navy lights may be very learned in some matters but it is evident they don't know beans.

### MEETING NOTICE.

[illegible] Lodge No 12, A. F. & A. M. [illegible] meeting this Monday Evening, Feb 8, 1886, at 7:30 o'clock. By order of the W. M. [illegible] Secretary.


P. W. BALFE & CO., PRINTERS, 106 Front st. c. Portland. Lowest Prices.

NEW TO-DAY.

POLLARD DRY GOODS STORE—LOWEST Direct from New York. McALLEN & McDONNELL Proprietors.

PIONEER MASQUE DEPOT. Masquerade Suits AND Theatrical Costumes FOR RENT. Extra large assortment of Ladies' Costumes. Trade Call and be convinced. COSTUME BUREAU, Cor. First & Yamhill and Stark.

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SHELVING, COUNTERS AND cases for sale cheap at 49 First st. near Pine. [illegible]

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Pioneer Wood Yard, Foot Yamhill DRY SLAB ASH $4 OAK $4 50

NOTICE—AT A CALLED MEETING OF THE Board of Directors of The Bu and Oregan Coal and Iron Company, held this day, it was ordered that a dividend of [illegible] per share be declared out of the net earnings of the Company, and that the same be payable at the office of the Company, on the [illegible] day of [illegible] next. By order of the Board. [illegible] Secretary. Portland, Feb 1, 1886.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS AND agents—In compliance with ordinance No 4788, passed by the Common Council of the City of Portland, all property owners or agents of property situated between Second and State streets from the river to the south line of Harrison street, are hereby notified that all plank sidewalks in front of their property must be laid above the old walk and before March 1st, 1886. All sidewalks not so laid by that time will be laid by the city and the cost thereof assessed upon such property. By order of the Board of Public Works. F. P. WATSON, Clerk of Board. Portland, Jan 25, 1886.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL. To Rooms B, C and D, second floor, Washington Block, corner First and Alder sts. General Agency of EUGENE D. WHITE

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SEND 2 LITH FOR YOUR DRESSES [illegible]

GIRLS WANTED TO LEARN THE TAILORING trade at Wood's. [illegible]

NEW PIANOS FOR RENT AT KOHLER & CHASE'S, 71 Morrison st.

FOR GOOD VALUE IN READY MADE SUITS go to Mrs G E BURKE'S cor Fourth and Yamhill streets.

DRUG STORE FOR SALE—DOING A GOOD business; good reasons given for selling. Address [illegible] care Oregonian.

FOR SALE—THE FINEST JERSEY COW IN Portland; age cow 4 years; calf 4 days; $90. BARR, 146 Third st.

NEATLY FURNISHED ROOMS; USE OF BATH also light housekeeping rooms at 238 Fifth st, between Main and Salmon.

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WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSE work in family of three adults. Apply after 10 o'clock at 365 Yamhill, near Seventh.

DR. SEELER HAS REMOVED HIS HOUSE and office to Harmony Hall, from 125 Third st to 181 Third st, over Olds & Wortman's crockery store.

MCALLEN & McDONALD WILL OPEN THIS week their elegant new dress goods store, Ellers Block, 171 First st. New Dress Materials now selling new Hosiery and Underwear.

COAL ENGLISH CANNEL SCREENED. Coal delivered for $10 per ton. SMITH & CO., 209 Front and 208 Ash sts. Telephone 7.

CLOTHES CAREFULLY REPAIRED AT REASONable rates; work sent for and delivered. Address [illegible] Oregonian. BENBOURNE, 9 Grant street.

OSI—A BLACK GORDON SETTER ABOUT 10 months old answers to the name of Carlo; city license tag No 1,485. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at Knapp Burrell & Co's.

COAL—COAL—SUPERIOR QUALITY AT $6 per ton in sacks of 125 lbs. Order at Allen's Saloon, Salem Bank, or R. G. Reed's, Kellogg wharf foot of Yamhill st.

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WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

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WANTED—AGENTS EVERYWHERE FOR the genuine Tatum at sight on a dollar every sale; want agent for Multnomah county. Call at circulars 1 Ha Adams [illegible] 162½ Mission st. S. F.

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WANTED—EMPLOYMENT.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A THOROUGH BUTler; can cook in a private boarding house. Address H. M. [illegible] office.

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THE W. C. T. U. INTELLIGENCE OFFICE ON First st, near Columbia, wants places wanted for girls and women.

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—PIONEER WOOD yard. Will exchange for city real estate or stock of [illegible].

FOR SALE BLACKSMITH AND WAGON SHOP with two forges and two benches; everything in good order and doing a good business; reasons for selling are going away from this country. For further particulars call on E. BOSWORTH, Dundee, Yamhill County, Or.

CANNERY FOR SALE—THE INVERNESS cannery, located at mouth of Elk river, Humboldt county, California, is for sale on favorable terms. This is one of the very best positions on the coast for a cannery, and is an excellent site for a store. Call for further terms of the sale. The [illegible] taken in the vicinity [illegible] Salmon, Sturgeon and Halibut. [illegible] is a great property and one of the best [illegible] to engage in canning. Also a set of [illegible] and [illegible] Apparatus at the London Fisheries Exhibition, 1884, awarded medal at Antwerp Exhibition, 1885. Those [illegible] of May. The cannery buildings were [illegible] months and is first rate order and in addition there are two [illegible] for employees and good [illegible] for manager. The plant is mostly new and can be put in [illegible] order. Factory Trucks, Building Machines, Boats, Nets and all [illegible] required for a first class cannery ready for work. With the cannery also goes 3X [illegible] with extended river frontage and the [illegible] camp [illegible] of 160 acres each, [illegible] the river and license for 40 boats. For particulars, address or [illegible] to TURNER BEETON & CO., Victoria, B. C.

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METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, Feb 7—6 P M

| Places of Observation. | Bar | High Tide last hours | Ther | Wind Direction. | Wind Force. Inch. | State of Weather |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Portland | 29 84 | —17 | 46 | S | 01 | It Rn |
| Olympia | 29 7 | —21 | 43 | S | 16 | It Rn |
| Roseburg | 29 97 | —05 | 49 | S | 56 | Lt Rn |
| Red Bluff | 30 00 | —05 | 46 | Calm | 00 | Clear |
| Sacramento | 30 10 | —10 | 38 | Calm | 00 | Clear |
| Salem | 29 84 | —14 | 43 | S | 60 | Cloudy |
| Spokane | | | 45 | SW | 22 | H Rn |
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| W Heeseman | Mrs L Parrish |
| Mrs Honeyman | Mary Cotter |
| Wm Honeyman | Geo Shafter |
| J Greenthal | Henry Shafter |
| G Holman | Henry Mc Lellan |
| Dr Whitman | Dr Hardesty and child |
| A J Shaffer | J N Hansen & 2 children |
| Jno Shaffer | A J Meares and wife |
| G W Harding | Mrs Hansen |
| F D Northrop | Jens Hansen |
| Dr K Fardell | W A Francis |
| F E Bell | Mrs A J Sherman |
| G White | F White |
| H Cola | J Hasket and wife |
| F McNeish | Wm Dyer |
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The room occupied by a Chinaman at the rear of the Cully building was broken into the other evening and robbed of some clothing, a pistol and other articles to the value of About $40 no clue

Scarcely a night passes but the police are requested to for lodgings to men in need. As the city all it not in great demand or law breakers they are generally accommodated. Three applicants were accommodated last night.

Of the seventeen saloons heretofore in East Portland four closed when the new law went into effect with the increased license, then the remaining thirteen will give the city an annual revenue of $ 10—$300 more than the former number under the old law.

A stranger whose conversation left no doubt of his insanity, was found roaming about Holladay's addition Saturday morning. He gave his name as Thomas C Sanders and claimed to be a government detective. Marshal McMillan took him in charge for the proper authorities who committed him after a brief examination. Marshal McMillan will take him up to Salem to-day

PERSONAL

Rev. D P Thompson left yesterday for Centralia Washington to be gone about two weeks

Rev H D Sanborn left yesterday for the Colville mines and will remain there a month or more

Miss L Palmer, of this city will deliver the address on Washington at the second anniversary at Walla Walla, on the 21st inst. by Ivanhoe lodge No 11 in commemoration of the twenty second anniversary of the order

THE HIGHT OF MT HOOD

HERON, Mont Feb 7

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

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TO THE PUBLIC

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If you have corns, bunions or ingrowing nails and want them cured Dr. L. Judson in the same chiropodist will be at Esmond hotel on Friday of February. Don't fail to call on him

Libretto for the opera of Iolanthe for sale on bar Edward Dekum & Co 41 Washington st

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Will surprise us, loads all. Oysters in every style.

Advice to Mothers.

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## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

A SWINDLING BROTHER.—Last Friday afternoon as the Atlantic express was about to pull out of the East Portland station a middle aged German rushed aboard. He was blowing hard, perspiring and dripping at every pore, and as soon as Hazelman stood on his row "Terrytin, thought the train he stopped d. where he reached the man for whom he was evidently searching and a most exciting dialogue took place but even them—all to German and the fellow passengers could not understand it. They could tell that the man who rushed in was angry an indignant and that the other had been guilty of some unmanly conduct. The train rolled out the excited man jumped off and ran to the last the people on the train heard of the affair. Subsequent inquiry by an OREGONIAN reporter who heard of the incident elicited the information that a German who keeps a saloon at the Red House sent to Germany a few months since for his brother saying the chances here for getting rich in the world were far better than in the old country. The brother had a few thousand dollars which the saloon keeper indicated him to invest in a farm near the Red House. He could not speak English and knew nothing of American laws, and at the saloon keeper's suggestion behind the deed in and out to the saloon keeper whose name only the latter recognized. The train last week sold it, subject to the mortgage for $600. Then deserting his wife and seven children the saloon keeper skipped out. The brother learning of these facts has supplied him here before for trailer and was informed that the saloon keeper had a legal right to sell the property and could not be held under a criminal charge. He right begin a civil suit to recover the money but could he to give bonds, etc., and the process would be slow. The lawyers advised him to go to the train at the hour or two of departure and threaten to beat the life out of him make him disgorge and leave the country. He took their advice and left for home to day.

FELIX FEATHERS ON A TEAR.—About half past 4 yesterday morning Jack Keenan a fight weight slugger who came up from San Francisco with Jack Dempsey, and now keeps a low dive in Couch precinct was arrested at the corner of First and Oak streets by policemen Morgan and Young. He was biter drunk, and had been in this condition since midnight, and was making Rome howl. His partner Harry Sullivan who was up ahead by Ward, attempted to rescue Keenan from the police, but lacked the necessary strength and was himself run in and boosted for interfering with an officer. About the same time Jim Reilly, whom Dave Campbell whipped, was run in by policeman Hartkelroad for being drunk and disorderly. All three were locked up for the night. Jack Keenan afternoon keenan got out by putting up $10 bail and Sullivan the amount. Reilly is still there. While Keenan was under arrest he created a disturbance in the station by the bold of a heavy glass tumbler which he hurled at Court Clerk Judd Capt Hendine had to order the whole outfit from before he became unruly. Keenan, if you stay here, you've got to behave yourself. You can't come from the way you will affect your customers that you drink and fight. And Sullivan you would better walk straight. The experience of a broken head that you and shortly will have unless you get enough force to drive the blood to the extremities.

NEWCASTLE MINES SHUT DOWN.—Owing to the extremely low price of coal in San Francisco and the differences between the coal miners and their owners which apparently cannot be settled courts were received by Mr Miller Starr today to shut the Newcastle coal creek mines down indefinitely. This is a very unpleasant piece of news to record say the Post Bulletin, for it nothing more than could be expected by those who have kept track of the condition of affairs at Newcastle. The closing down of these mines will throw out of employment of the company and to the country at large hardship and misery results.

TO THE LOVERS OF SPORT.—Commencing Tuesday morning Pigeon Shooting will be resumed. J. McElhaney, manager. Harvey executor of the will of Mrs. Linton Harvey to give bonds in the sum of $ 2,000 within one week or be removed from such trust. I will provided that the executor not be required to give bonds in the sum of more than $1,000. Mrs. Mary A. Bennett filed in the county court to have Mr Harvey removed as executor giving as her reason for such petition that he was using the funds of the estate in his own private business and that he failed to make proper and such to the court of the condition of the estate etc.

MISSIONARY CONVOCATION.—Bishop Morris has called a convocation of the episcopal clergy east of the Cascades to meet in Pendleton on the third 10th of February in Baker City from the 11th to the 14th and at the Dalles on the 15th. The clergy to be in attending be said the Bishop are the Rev Wm L Hicks of Pendleton, the Rev Wm L Hicks of Walla Walla, the Rev Wm L Hicks of Baker City, the Rev Wm L Hicks of The Dalles, the Rev Wm L Hicks of Pendleton, the Rev Wm L Hicks of Walla Walla, the Rev Wm L Hicks of Baker City, the Rev Wm L Hicks of The Dalles.

RUNAWAY.—While a car of the Third street railway line was about to start from the south end of the road yesterday in some way the single tree became detached from the car and striking against the horse's hocks caused him to run away. He ran clear down to Washington street, the front single tree striking at each step and inflicting wounds which increased the frenzy of the terrified brute. When caught he was hardly able to stand and it is feared that he is ruined.

IN A BAD FIX.—The man Murphy who was stabbed in a drunken quarrel in his cabin by a fellow workman named McDonald on Saturday night the 30th inst. is in a dangerous condition and the physicians say that the wound which received a cut to the bone is slough ing close to the artery, through which Saturday was regarded as critical but yesterday he was slightly better. He is in danger still of losing his arm and possibly his life.

DEATH OF A CHILD.—A three year old daughter of Jasper D Hara a resident of Pendleton died about 10 o'clock yesterday morning at the residence of a friend of the family corner of Eleventh and Market streets in this city. The child was brought here from there for medical aid for a light time in the abdomen. An operation was performed but the little one died. The remains left last evening over the Oregon Railway & Navigation company's line for the late home of the parents.

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INTERESTING MEDICAL CASE.—There is a case in the Good Samaritan hospital which the staff of physicians are watching with considerable interest. It is a case of dry gangrene. The patient is a man known as Chinook Smith, who was brought to the hospital two weeks ago. The first sign of the disease, a black spot on the ends of two toes on the left foot. The trouble soon extended all the toes up to where they join the foot and two black spots have appeared on the instep. There is no pain in the right foot as has also come involved. The ingrowth is the result of disease of the nerves. The only hope now is that enough force to drive the blood to the extremities.

## A HIGH-TONED DEAD BEAT

A Pretended English Lord Victimizes Some Confiding Countrymen in this State.

There arrived in this city overland from California about two weeks since and registered at the Holton house a tall, fine looking Englishman, who stated in confidence to a gentleman whom he met in Southern Oregon that he was a peer traveling incog. and on the strength of this and other his representations borrowed several hundred dollars. He had the education and manners of a thorough gentleman, was a good linguist and had doubtless at one time belonged to the British army as he knew military men both in England and in South Africa and also was acquainted with the friends in England of gentlemen residing here. He spent his (borrowed) money freely while here and entertained some of his friends in a manner and at an expense quite in keeping with the noble character he assumed.

He pretended to be here on a matter of business regarding the purchase of some machinery which he intended to take to South Africa. He received or pretended to receive cablegrams in regard to money deposited to his credit, and inquired as to the best method of transferring money from San Francisco to this city, but when the subject of his being identified at the bank was mentioned, he said no more about the matter. He remained here till the 24th of January when he took the Kalama train and some of his friends think, and left soon after for Victoria. It is presumed he has gone to Victoria where his will doubtless ere this have victimized some brother Englishman. He is 6 feet and half an inch in height, broad shouldered, broad hips, aged about 30 years, and weighing 190 pounds. Short light brown curly chop whiskers and slight mustache and shary brown eyes. He wore a dark cloth jacket and over his vest a blue jersey. There are no doubts but that he is a swindler, as he has failed the breeding and education of a gentleman, and has moved in good society but he has fallen from grace and is now a thorough swindler. The alias by which he does operate himself as is the one he is known by as given. He stated that he had been robbed in Stockton Cal by a man named Pratt for which some one had to be arrested. Any information of the forger (?) will be thankfully received by Jas. Jamieson, Bellevue, Or. The bills he has run up in this city and elsewhere will be paid by those who have been duped by several gentlemen upon whom he imposed.

## ALICE HARRISON TO-NIGHT

This evening the Alice Harrison company will open if a new musical comedy by Edward Holt and Wilson Morse, entitled "Hot Water." The following is complete cast of characters and a synopsis of musical introductions. The cast of the same as given in San Francisco and changes will be made in Portland, all reports to the contrary notwithstanding. All the star goers know Miss Harrison's reputation and the cast of characters will speak for itself. We support her with new and well known people of the profession.

CHARACTERS

James McDoodles, Jr. only son of his Dad by his first wife but of the really trouble some sort, however a collection by education a universal student and author in spots, of love sweetheart, but could be jollier from Lucy. Forces his loving pars to take more Hot Water than they would like choice

Mr. Harry Weight a man of youthful principles a traitor and tutor of manhood in haste. Does the butler with Hot Water but finds time to forget to take water (both) self

Mr. Frank Grimard Col Melbood a retired officer, a gentleman of the first water, most generally. Hot water with a stick in it

Mr. Frank David James McDoodles a wealthy Am an who has been sojourning at Paris with his family in search of Hot Water and his

Mr. Chas W Allison Jane Ann O Holloran a bosom friend to the Judges or as some would say navel mate, who is herself to circumstances. Hot Water included

Mr. Chas McCarthy Professor Meekful, of a retiring turn of mind, whose duties become (or should be) the guidance of James Jr., in the ways that are good and profitable that are not dan erous or fit other words, to accompany him both in and out of boy Meekful is willing but also fate is against him—he gets more Jor Water than he deserves.

Mr. George Lyle Rick Semble a useful boy, whose duties are to attend to the wants of all in the house, keeps a supply of Hot Water on hand Mr Fred Mathews Waiter at Cafe Odeon whose business is to serve Jot Water with or without Ice Jack if

Mr. L. Knobb Miss Vertha Helpful attendant of Col Melbood sister keeper of almost insatiable intelligence Duncan really the first who started this Hot Water craze—unconsciously she did it. To whom she put the question, Shall we have some more tea?

Miss Jennie Reliable Mrs. James Melbood is second wife exceptionally good looking and thereby counts the odds as having to take more Hot Water for short while than country. Two Colds a calling some of whom is interested in a mine at Colville, Idaho

Mrs. Col Melbood is his wife, prim chilly and jealous never to Jot Hot Water

Miss Helen Sedgwick Mamselle Marie Lou Jours, a French creature but as a mesmerist will up in English thinks well of James Jr., but never misses a chance to work upon the hearts of all men married or single she keeps Hot Water at boiling point

Allen Harrison

SYNOPSIS OF MUSICAL INTRODUCTIONS

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| 1 | Here's to you | George W Lederer |
| | James Melbood des Jr | |
| 2 | Musical Potpourri | |
| 3 | Three Little Maids from School (Mikado) | |
| | Marie James and Company | |
| 4 | Tyrolean | Mack Millocker |
| 5 | All Right Topical Song | Marie |
| 6 | Don't pick off the petals | Mack and James Jr |
| | Dr. King Song | Marie |
| 7 | Forbes chorus grotesque | Mr Fred Mathews |
| | Living (Mikado) | Gilbert and Sullivan |

SIGNS OF SPRING

Spring is coming, and for the last ten days it almost seemed as if the rustle of her robes could be heard among the branches of the lilac bushes the buds of which are swelling and showing specks of green. In San Francisco and Oakland where the mercury for several days stood at 70 degrees it seemed to have remained before the wind had its warm. However, there is no sign of vegetation in the gardens around town except snow drops, crocuses violets and pansies are blooming and the buds in full bloom, other early flowers are making vigorous growth.

The grocery store displays pots of violets, chicory plants, and calla lilies in bloom for sale and tastily arranged bouquets of the same are to be seen in the flower stores of spring.

The season is forward in the Inland Empire as the Spokane Falls Review says.

Will Maxwell yesterday was brought into Hill's butter dish that was picked from among the rocks on the north side of the river. A few more days of sunshine and the flowers of spring will cover the hillsides. The Western Shore says

The lilacs are budding in our flower gardens and daisies and pansies are in bloom. The robin red breast has put in his appearance, the meadow lark sets forth upon the morning air his matin hymn and everything betokens the approach of spring

PORT MOODY MATTERS

PORT MOODY, B C, Feb 7.—This year is going to be a remarkable one for British Columbia mining matters. As soon as the weather will permit there will be a lively rush to the Nicola rich new bonanza creek district. Big things are expected of this district including Granite creek and several tributaries, but as usual there will probably be more men in there this season than there will be track. A number of the Nicola country John Morrison, formerly of Port Moody has secured several rich claims, and are starting a company to work them. Samples of the ore were sent to Portland, San Francisco and Victoria in Butler City, and assay out from $600 to $ 800 per ton and some of it $2,000. This is the first strike in that country. Two Colville citizens some of whom is interested in a mine at Colville, this county, were in Victoria a few days ago and have claims in the Big Bend country that is said to assay $ 800 per ton. They brought in for about $1,000 as the original locator did not know its value. The party has some specimens quartz picked a few miles from Port Moody that was located several years ago. British Columbia is undoubtedly very rich but mostly undeveloped as yet, but the opening of the Canadian Pacific will be a great factor in developing industry in British Columbia.

No train has gone above Yale for about ten days owing to heavy snow and slides. It is not known when the tracks will be cleared and communication with the up country by east of Yale, as published

Trains are four hours behind time on Monday and Victoria now

Fort Moody will petition parliament for better mail and court house accommodations

The mills here are cutting up the shingles for the Victoria market

OLYMPIA NOTES

OLYMPIA, Feb 6

To the regret of all by the untimely demise of the death of this city some drunken brawl and fist fight suspended. Judge an old of the bench of this city were very much in the habit of the time and it could be police who had it would punish and would have the Judge fined. This is very active enforcing the local option law the Legislature and it is thought that was one of the reasons for the result.

ACCIDENT

An unnamed Chinaman employed in the O & C. yards while running under a passing car collided with an empty car on the line, and had his face terribly smashed. O Reilly who was called on to attend the man, pronounced his case more grave

THE STAGE.

THE CASINO.—So great has been the success of Roland he that the management have determined to keep it on for another week. Last night at the sixth performance he attendance was greater than on the opening night and tested the seating capacity of the house.

THE NEW MARKET.—To night Miss Alice Harrison in the musical comedy "Hot Water"

PUT YOUR SHADE TREES.—The superintendent of streets advertises elsewhere that he will enforce the ordinance by citing all shade trees on street to be trimmed to a height of nine feet above the sidewalk on or before the 1st of March. Now is the accepted time to trim your trees, so get out your ladders, saws and pruning hooks and set the trees a rights before the last and save trouble.

SCHOOL BOOKS HALF PRICE.—Second hand but perfect and good as new at Wiley B Allen's new book and music store, 131 First, between Yamhill and Salmon. ☞New books when pre-dered at lowest prices.

The best and cheapest of Sweetmeats Ghirardelli's Nicke Chocolate Try it. 8

## PROHIBITION IN IOWA.

TILLAMOOK Feb 5

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

I notice that the liquor traffic discussion in your columns has been transferred from Maine to Iowa and with yourself and truth seeking readers I have sought in the line of duty to follow it up. It is a fact that in many of the cities and larger towns of that state the prohibitory law is not enforced. Maine struggled a much longer time before being aroused to a general sentiment by the popular and educational forces of the law that high attainment in political economy has long since been reached.

In a the greater part of Iowa is beyond a doubt under strict prohibition but it really seems that with the great lights of Maine and Kansas before him upon the prohibition path even greater work might be accomplished in two years.

And I propose to canvass the grounds briefly, and seek out the causes of too tardy progress.

Prohibition in Iowa was a republican measure. The republican platform put the plank in their platform as a compromise with the pro prohibitionists who otherwise would have run a ticket and drawn votes enough to have defeated the republican party. The prohibitionist part of the "compromise" was simply to come servilely under the republican yoke as compensation for the promises in the platform. The republican party was not slow to accept the terms and the campaign was fought, and by the loss of a few hundred prohibitionists and a few we'll run the whole thing Republican, the republican ticket won by a somewhat reduced majority. What next. The majority law was enacted according to agreement. What next. Why thats all the bargain said the bosses we were to give you a prohibitory law for your votes—there you have it take it and go your way we claim no interest in it—don't want it, its your law! Just there the too trustful prohibitionists discovered that he professional bosses had been too sharp for them, as in North Carolina and Ohio, and how about the force bill in Georgia—sheriffs, courts mayors commissioners and police the law of the land, and the prohibitionists to enforce your prohibitory law. Those in the legislature who did not go with the bosses the great temperance party everywhere was no such law. They want the whisky to control the votes with—have always had it and intend to have it. In quite a number of the cities and towns of the state they have deliberately licensed the traffic in utter contempt of law and in many others, holding all the offices they flatly refuse, in the face of the plainest law defining their duties in the matter to file a liquor against the traffic, and then raise the cry that the prohibitionists' law is a failure and are now pleading that failure him plainly with one color of the south and definitely with the other) to induce the Republicans to consent to the repeal of the law. These are strong charges and I shall come from a prohibition source. I should be sorry to be guilty of a little Cowardice and I shall come from a prominent politician of Iowa—Mr J. M. Sutton, state senator—it seems I should to find a reasonable ground of doubt.

Mr Sutton addressed letters of inquiry to leading republicans (his own statement) in every township in the state having as many as 400 inhabitants asking information as to the enforcement of the law and the answers greatly astonished, while informing me that the law never got one page of the Chicago Tribune (same size as THE OREGONIAN'S pages). A most every officer in Iowa owes his election to prohibition votes. The laws are very plain and further duties toward violators of law. They ignore all exception stand square in the way and how I fail to see. The law for city marshals is to apprehend any person in the act of committing any offense against the laws of the state and bring such person before the mayor. Not one such appprehension of a saloon keeper is mentioned in all the vast pile of letters from leading republicans. It is to be presumed that those officers of the law have a reason for not arresting offenders so big are they carrying failure."

The following report from Waterloo, and Mr Sutton's remarks upon it will show that he is a republican and not an enemy to prohibition. It was THE OREGONIAN was informed. We have since been informed that one can get a drink if known not to get drunk. Our saloons pay a tax of $25 per month. Mr Stewart was driven out of the place because of his efforts to enforce the law. We had twenty saloons two years ago when the population was much greater. Drunkenness is hardly ever seen.

F I Silberling.

Sutton—Mr Silberling says in a second letter that arrests for drunkenness have been

In 1884 in Iowa 20? A fine letter from Hon Matt Owens explains what has brought about the delightful condition of things described by Mr Silberling. Col Owens says the

A regular system of saloon license was adopted Jan 1 1885 at a full number of the wealthy and influential men were the being a member. He sends me a copy the ordinance. It directly licenses saloons and is now enforced by the city and every member of which is a republican. Mr Silberling is president of the school board and a prominent citizen. He sings the praises of well regulated republican rule. That has not the ring of Carrie Nation prohibitionist and yet he is certainly doing a grand work for the party. Why don't the papers of the land that they may see their way into the prohibition ranks.

T J AITY

CENSUS OF NEBRASKA

The March of Progress Fully Exemplified in Superintendent Lund's Report

LINCOLN, Feb 7.—Superintendent Lund of the state census bureau in the last bulletin to day. The increase in population in 15 years from 140 to 1,058,268 18 or more than 80 per cent. The number of residences increased 0 per cent corresponds in record with the increase in families. The number of farms increased 0 per cent and the average size from 87 acres to 01. The acreage under cultivation just doubled. The value of farms increased from $108,000,000 to $ 8,000,000 and horses, mules and milch cows have doubled. Swine in not just doubled in numbers but other stock are. The value of live stock increased from $ 0,000,000 to $8,000,000. While showing in acres but the grain crops have increased from 20 to 60 per cent. The out crop in bushels was 6,000,000 in 1885, last year it was 1,000,000 bushels. Manufactured products have increased from $12,000,000 to $45,000,000. In all material points the growth in wealth and facilities has outrun the increase in population. The net cost of the census to the state is less than $7000

Sherman and Shiloh.

New York World

In following a review of the North American Review Gen Beauregard completes his article on the Shiloh campaign. He insists that the federal army was taken completely by surprise on the morning of the 6th of April. His reason for think ing so is plainly given. When he first engaged only were taken many federal officers and soldiers were yet lying in bed. Then I was being fed and was taken hot from the oven by our mess man. He will say nothing about the loss of the enemy's men in the tents and will swear that the bread was left in the ovens for him to consume the Confederates a warm reception—that when the time came for the battle was on hospitality. There is no testimony of a human character to be adduced that can convince Sherman that he was surprised at Shiloh. For his part he thinks he was going to be attacked but he forgot to mention the order to his troops. [illegible]

TALK ABOUT BLAINE

His Book—Chances for the Presidency in 1888

Wm Walter Phelps to a correspondent of the Chicago Times.

I have tried in vain to induce Mr. Blaine to visit Washington this winter and complete the sittings for his portrait. said Mr Phelps "I want the picture for my New Jersey home. Mr Blaine, how ever is too busy revising the proof of his book. The last chapter of the second volume was completed a few days ago. Mr Blaine found greater difficulty in preparing the last volume, because it deals with events of recent date, and I see he is trying to wield his memory it was hard for him to keep within his interdict space. A good portion of the last volume was written by Mr Blaine himself, but finally he was compelled to employ a stenographer. The first day of dictation was done in the old White mansion in Washington. Mrs. Blaine was greatly alarmed soon after the work began by hearing a loud discussion and tramp of feet in Mr Blaine's library. She rushed to the room and found Mr Blaine dictating in a loud tone. Mrs Blaine laughed and besought him to be less vehement, for she said unless you make less noise we will have the police in for disturbing the neighbors.

Mr. Phelps said that at present Mr Blaine was living very quietly at Augusta. Gail Hamilton arrived there January 1 and will remain there some time. Mr Blaine spends the morning writing. In the afternoon he goes out driving or sailing in his ice boat. He is getting so fat," said Mr Phelps that I fear for him should the boat meet with an accident. Mr Blaine is greatly interested in the election of Hon James G Blaine Jr. Hasbrook, and this has kept him occupied when he had spare hours. The house is to be a model. "Very one of the family had suggestions for it, and so all will have just what they want in the house. It will be a magnificent structure.

POLITICAL MATTERS.

Talking about Mr Blaine's political future, Mr. Phelps said that at present Mr Blaine was not thinking of politics. He was a man who gave himself entirely physically, mentally and soul to the subject in hand. That business has been his book. He has done nothing else but this. Now that it was finished his new home was his object. Mr Phelps himself is also thinking of politics but he cannot help but see that the anti Blaine element all over the country have died out. The party has been beaten, and there is no anti Blaine element. The republican party is again united. While Mr Blaine's friends do not think of again pushing him forward, they recognize that New York will again be the pivotal state but they also recognize that to carry that state the Irish vote will be necessary. When the Irish World refused to support Mr Davenport it said that while the Irish vote with drew its support from that candidate it wanted to state that the Irish vote was not sentiment, and that one that wanted its vote for Blaine, and was willing to vote for him again. Now the friends of Mr Blaine see that Senator Sherman and Senator Logan are the two leading candidates of the republican party. Should Mr Blaine be the leading in the West both are acceptable to Mr. Blaine. Can either carry the Irish vote? The friends of Mr Blaine will carefully consider this point when the time comes and if they find that there is no one who they believe can unite the Irish vote and at the same time carry New York they will urge Mr Blaine to again run. Certainly the friends of Mr Blaine in this emergency will call upon him to save him and the party and if this is so Mr Blaine should be willing to sacrifice himself.

THE DEMOCRATIC DINNER.

There is an incident in the ex campaign which has never been fully understood and for which Mr Blaine has been most severely criticised, not only by the press but by the public, because they never understood the truth in regard to the matter. It is the celebrated still snare dinner in New York. When it was first announced Mr Blaine opposed it. He foresaw what the public would say. He opposed it from the start. He actually telegraphed that he would not attend, and subsequently refused verbally to do so. A delegation of leading republicans calls on him and said to it although there were six or eight millionaires to be present there were 100 of the poor and influential republicans of the state and it to be there also. They wished as representative republicans to hear his plans and converse with him. They argued that these leading men of his party the night that it was the party good that he should attend the dinner. They could be let his own individual opinion weigh against the united opinion of a vast representative body of men who only had his welfare and interests at heart. It was only after this argument that Mr Blaine decided but even then he went with apprehension.


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## WORK OF THE LEGISLATURE.

OLYMPIA, Feb. 5.—The legislature after working forty-three days out of a session of sixty days, brought its arduous labors to a close last evening soon after 11 o'clock, much to the satisfaction both of members and people.

STATISTICS.

During the session the total number of bills introduced in both houses was 404. Total number approved by the governor, 194. The following list contains the number of bills which each member succeeded in having passed and approved:

Council—Messrs. Bowen 4, Carson 2, Crosby 4, Ferguson 3, Gabel 6, Isaacs 4, Jacobs 8, Neal 3, Reavis 13, Young 3, President Day 2.

House—Messrs. Arrasmith 2, Brewer 2, Byrd 6, Cooke 7, Crutcher 1, Donohon 7, Dunbar 3, Fenn 1, Fudge 2, Goodsell 4, Hill 3, Kinnear 11, Knowles 11, Lewis 8, Lindsley 3, Manley 3, McCall 5, Munday 14, Ostrander 3, Perkins 1, Tebb 1, Wells 7.

EXEMPTIONS.

One of the last acts of the legislature was to exempt churches, educational, scientific and charitable institutions from taxation when the assessed values did not exceed $6000.

APPROVED BILLS.

For the information of the people I herewith give a complete list of all bills approved during the session just closed:

HOUSE BILLS.

1. To prevent and punish prize fighting.
5. Relating to duties and salary of territorial treasurer.
7. To Remove Franklin county seat from Ainsworth to Pasco.
8. Amend Secs. 830 and 831 of code—offenses against property.
9. Amend Sec. 59 of code—commencement of civil actions.
12. To incorporate Montesano.
14. To regulate coal mines.
16. Amend Secs. 3078 and 3084, relating to elections.
18. Amend Sec. 3060. Same subject.
20. Amendatory Sec. 2252. Offenses against property.
21. Amend Sec. 2252. Penalties for mayhem.
33. To abolish the right of survivorship in estates held in joint tenancy.
34. Amend 1977, 1987, relating to liens.
35. Amend Sec. 2034. Conveyance of real estate sold for taxes.
36. Relief of J. H. McGraw.
38. Allow 1 school district in Walla Walla to borrow money.
45. Amend Sec. 2000, relating to divorces.
46. Amend Sec. 384, to secure right of trial by jury.
49. Authorizing school district 4, Chehalis, to borrow money.
50. Relating to study of physiology and hygiene in public schools.
52. Repealing charter of Laconner.
53. Defining what may constitute a seal.
56. Relating to offenses against public peace.
61. Amend Sec. 25 of code. Limitation of actions.
62. Amend Sec. 2747; relating to county orders.
64. Amend act creating Kittitas county.
67. Prevent fraud and deception in sale of butter and cheese.
69. Amend 2451 of code, relating to articles of incorporation.
71. Relief of J. O'Loughlin.
72. Relating to false weights and measures.
74. To change the name of M. T. Kinder to Selby.
75. To change the name of Z. H. Delay to Barlow.
76. Amending Seattle charter.
81. Amend Sec. 292 of code; witnesses and evidence.
82. For relief of E. Meeker, commissioner to New Orleans.
87. Amend Sec. 2759, relating to sheriffs.
88. To establish lost and uncertain boundaries.
89. Appropriation for deaf mutes.
90. Terms of certain officers.
91. Relating to bastardy.
94. Amending habitual drunkard act.
97. Removal of Yakima county seat.
100. Ellensburg charter.
102. To extend the time for payment of taxes to February 28.
103. Amending Valleonver charter.
106. Locating county seat, Chehalis county.
108. Relating to assessment for levee purposes.
107. Relating to auditor Stevens county.
109. Amend Secs. 2383 and 2387 of code, relating to marriages.
109. Relative to supreme court reports.
110. Relief of adjutant-general.
111. Relief of A. Farquhar.
114. Amend Sec. 2736, duties of county auditor.
115. Amending charter for levee purposes.
121. Amending Goldendale charter.
122. Amending Tumwater charter.
123. Local option law.
124. Defining district in Lewis county for election of commissioners.
126. Amending Sec. 2737 of code; duties of auditor.
127. Declaring certain acts to be misdemeanors.
128. Barbed wire fences.
129. Repealing Ainsworth charter.
134. Amending Sec. 3034 of code; bridges on county roads.
135. Spokane Falls charter.
136. Relating to bills of lading, etc.
138. Appropriation for hospital for insane.
139. Authorizing school district 20, Spokane, to borrow money.
141. Amending Sprague charter.
142. Relief of Hays Bros.
146. Defining jurisdiction of district court.
147. Relief of S. W. Brown and others.
149. Changing name of Cynthia and Dora Blake to Clinger.
155. Exempting real estate sold under judgment on foreclosure of mortgage.
157. To re-locate county seat of Cowlitz county.
161. Appropriation for artesian wells.
162. Relating to carrying concealed weapons.
164. Fixing compensation of officers of Garfield county.
166. Assessing migratory stock.
167. Regulating attorneys' fees.
168. Irrigation and water rights in Yakima Co.
170. Allowing commissioners in Whatcom county to purchase or build a bridge on Yakima river.
171. Amending revenue law.
172. Amending alien act.
176. Territorial appointment.
177. For protection of fish and game.
178. Conveyance of real estate.
179. Amending Whatcom charter.
182. Relating to marks and brands.
183. To prohibit circulation of demoralizing literature.
184. Changing name of Sarah Rosebery to Bradley.
186. Amend Sec. 2762, relating to county surveyor.
187. Authorizing school district in Adams county to borrow money.
188. Relief legislative employes.
189. Author zing school district in Whatcom to borrow money.
192. Amending Olympia charter.
196. Relief Chas. E. Clancey, agent O. R. & N. Co.
198. Amend Sec. 33-, relating to executions.
201. To increase public school fund in Whatcom county.
203. Defining rights of occupying claimants in real estate.
204. To provide a term of supreme court for 1886.
205. Relief of Wm. Pix.
206. Relating to official publications.
210. Appropriating money to defray expenses insane hospital.
211. Prescribe the manner of selling the sulphate and other preparations of morphine.
212. Providing for appointment of commissioners to locate hospital for insane in Eastern Washington.
216. Regulating fees of probate judge, Asotin Co.
216. Providing for registry of voters in Port Townsend.
218. To change boundary lines between Yakima and Kittitas.
219. To provide for distribution of school fund proportion of gross earnings act.
225. Provide for payment of outstanding indebtedness of Tacoma.
228. Providing for transportation of insane patients to hospital.
231. Amend sections 2539, 2540 and 2543 of code relating to estrays.
234. To create a district court in Asotin.
235. Regulating the collection of taxes in city of Tacoma.
236. Fixing compensation probate judge in King county.
237. Relating to county warrants.
240. Provide for locating and altering county roads.
241. Amend Secs. 2121, 2439 and 2434 relating to corporations.
248. Authorize school district 38, Clarke county, to borrow money to build a school.
249. Appropriate money for territorial incidental expenses.
250. Attachments and garnishments.
251. Amending Walla Walla charter.
252. Regulating duties and fees of prosecuting attorneys.
254. Territorial warrants paid according to issuance.
255. Regulating probate clerk's fees.
256. Relief legislative employes.
257. Expenses legislative assembly.
258. Providing for distribution of session laws.
259. School law.
260. Amend Secs. 2224, 2223 and 2034 relating to land sold for taxes.
261. Building a court house in Columbia county.
262. Fixing salary of prosecuting attorney Pierce county.

COUNCIL BILLS.

1. Amend Sec. 77 of code relating to pleadings.
2. Amend last clause Sec. 2349 of code; exemption.
5. Relating to exceptions.
8. Amending Cheney charter.
9. Authorizing school district Lincoln county to borrow money.
12. To secure cancellation of satisfied mortgages.
16. Amend 2930 and 2931 of code, collection of taxes.
22. Amend 2557 and 2558 of code relating to bounties on scalps.
25. Assessment and collection of taxes.
26. Authorizing West Tacoma school district to borrow money.
27. Appropriating for legislative postage.
28. Amend Sec. 823, offenses against property.
29. Deaf mutes and blind.
31. Relating to fees of Spokane county.
33. Charter North Yakima.
36. Charter Pomeroy.
37. Appropriation for penitentiary at Walla Walla.
38. Fixing time of holding courts.
39. Public highways.
43. Amend Sec. 2685, relating to county commissioners.
45. Authorizing voters of county of Klickitat to vote on hog law.
48. Relief of D. Marsh.
49. Courts.
53. Amend Sec. 2907 relating to mileage of officers.
56. Relief of territorial university.
57. Relating to road logs.
58. Providing for indexing codes.
59. Amending Sec. 2752, county assessors
60. Amending Tacoma charter.
61. Locating Douglas county seat.
62. Amend Chap 6 code, commencement of actions.
66. Fixing rate of public printing.
67. Authorizing school district, Whitman county, to borrow money.
70. Amending school law.
72. Amend Sec. 812, criminal practice act.
77. Amending Sec. 2460, probate practice act.
83. A low ng salary to auditor Klickitat county.
84. A lowing salary to probate judge Klickitat county.
88. Prohibiting sheep from running at large in Pacific county.
93. Provide for building a jail in Garfield county.
94. Authorizing certain counties to offer rewards for criminals.
96. To validate certain acts of J. H. Bellinger.
97. Authorizing comm ssioners Pacific county to offer rewards for criminals.
98. To license foreign corporations.
100. Providing for clearing and improving capital grounds.
102. Authorizing road districts in Skagit Island and Whatcom to regulate road taxes.
106. Amend Sec. 1706 of code, justice practice act.
108. Amend Sec. 2479 and 2480 in relation to foreign corporations.
109. Centralia charter.
118. Authorize commissioners Lewis county to issue bonds to pay outstanding indebtedness.
123. Authorize school Distr ct 3, Yakima, to borrow money.
125. Provide for printing and distributing governor's report.
128. Authorizing commissioners of Lincoln county to build county house.
132. Road law.
134. Fixing fiscal year.
136. Preservation of game birds in Walla Walla.
137. Amending Pomeroy charter.
138. Changes name of Asotin to Asotin.
139. Provides for printing and publishing school laws.
139½. Prescribing tenure of office.
141. Relief Rev. Jas Cammbell

NOTES.

The liquor law remains as heretofore.

Resolutions of thanks to the correspondent of THE OREGONIAN were adopted in both houses.

Thanks were returned to all connected with the legislature to-day from his excellency the governor down to the little page Willie Haggeman. In thanking Secretary Ewing considerable difficulty was experienced owing to the opposit on of several members.

THANKS.

The correspondent of THE OREGONIAN can now allow the pleasure to himself of returning his hearty thanks to the members and officers of both houses, one and all, but more especially to the chief and assistant clerks, without whose assistance he would have worked under difficulties. His thanks are also extended to his excellency, Gov. Squire, for various courtesies rendered in the kindest manner possible.

And now, as the doors of the capitol are closed, and the legislation all over, your correspondent will also close his legislative reports, trusting that the readers of THE OREGONIAN are satisfied as to their correctness. W. H. H.

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